IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO.5101 OF 2004

IN

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO.4555 OF 2004

Ajay Maitti & Ors. ...Applicants

Versus

The State of Maharashtra ...Respondent

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Mr.Upadhyay i/b Law Global for Applicants.

Mr.A.S.Gadkari, A.P.P. for Respondent.

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CORAM: A.M.KHANWILKAR, J.

DECEMBER 9, 2004.

P.C.

1. Heard Counsel for the parties.

2. This Application is moved for modification of condition contained in the order dated 1st November 2004 requiring the Applicants to furnish personal bond in the sum of Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand) with one or two local sureties in

the like amount. It is stated that inspite of best efforts, the Applicants could not arrange for the said amounts. Besides, it is contended that co-accused who has been released on bail by the Sessions Court has been imposed condition requiring to furnish personal bond in the lesser amount.

3. Having considered the rival submissions and the apprehension expressed by the prosecution, in my opinion, it will be appropriate to reduce the bail amount from Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand) to Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand), but requiring Applicants to furnish two local sureties in the like amount. Condition No.(a) will stand modified accordingly. Rest of the conditions will remain as it is.

A.M.KHANWILKAR, J.